

## OUT-OF-DOOR SPORTS.

## Our Ball-Players Abroad and Rifle- men at Home.

Interesting Matches on Saturday—Darkness  
Ties a Ball Game After Eleven Innings  
—Third of the Series of Rifle

Fine Shooting—A Clean  
Score of Seventy-five.

**A Tie Game at Albany Saturday.**  
(Special Dispatch to THE NATIONAL REPUBLICAN.)  
ALBANY, N. Y., May 1, 1899.  
The National and Albany clubs played their first

of about 10,000 spectators. The weather was very cold, a high wind prevailed, and the fielding was poor on both sides. Eleven innings were played, and the game being a tie, it will be played off next

Appended is the score :

PLAYERS.	A.P.	R.	IB.	T.B.	P.G.	A.	R.
Morrissey, Jb.....	6	0	3	2	0	5	1
Dorgan, r. f.....	6	1	0	3	1	0	2
Pike, c. f.....	4	0	2	3	3	1	1
Maloney, p.....	3	0	0	0	0	0	0

Say, W. S.	5	1	1	1	0	5	0
Tobin, D.	4	1	3	4	15	1	2
Clinton, J. F.	5	0	1	2	0	0	1
Keeffe, P.	5	6	0	1	1	12	3
Koonan, C.	3	0	0	2	5	3	2

Total.....	42	4	10	21	33	33	12
NATIONALS							
PLAYERS	A.B.	R.	1B.	R.B.	P.O.	A.	E.

McClellan, C. S.	6	0	2	3	1	1	0
Baker, C. F.	6	1	2	3	2	0	1
Gerhardt, M. B.	5	0	0	0	4	4	1
Powell, I. B.	3	0	1	3	12	0	1
Derby, R. F.	5	0	1	3	0	2	1

Dignan, I. f. ....	5	1	1	4	0	0	1
Warner, J. d. ....	5	0	1	1	3	3	0
Lynch, p. ....	5	1	1	1	0	9	0
Total.....	45	4	11	22	33	21	8

	INNINGS.										
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Nationals.....	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0
Albany.....	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0

Three-base hits—Tobin, Pike.  
First base on balls—Albany, 5; Nationals, 2.  
Struck out—Albany, 7; Nationals, 3.  
Balls called—Keefe, 12; Lynch, 13.  
Strikes called—Keefe, 24; Lynch, 23.

Passed balls—Keenan, 2; Snyder, 2.  
Wild pitches—Keefe, 2; Lynch, 1.  
Time of game—three hours and fifteen minutes.  
Umpire—Herman Doscher, of Troy.

**OUR RIFLE ASSOCIATION.**

The Long-Range Match on Saturday—Something About the Match in England.

On Saturday afternoon last, at the third match in the long-range subscription series of the Columbia Rifle Association at Bonning's, there were six entries, as follows: Colonel Burnside, A. A. Alden, Dr. J. L. Smith, G. L. Leighton, Walter Smith,

The afternoon brought the usual treacherous 2 to 10 o'clock wind, which prevails at this time of

the long range distance being protected somewhat by the belt of timber on the left, only to deceive the marksman by the powerful blast to which the last half of the trajectory of the bullet is subjected on the wide marsh that connects with the river and

targets forces a sweeping pressure of atmosphere when the wind is at the point above indicated on the great dial. Captain Frank Hyde, during his recent visits to the Benning's range with our club, gave it as his opinion that it was one of the very

However, the scores on Saturday last were very creditable, and Colonel Buraside succeeded in making a clean score of bull's-eyes at 300 yards. Following are the three leading scores, the first two

COLOMEL J. O. P. HURNSTIDE.

800 yards.....	5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5	75
900 yards.....	3 4 4 5 5 5 3 4 5 5 5 5 5 5	67
1,000 yards.....	5 2 3 5 4 5 5 3 4 5 5 5 5 5	67

Total.....		209
A. A. 及び B.		
600 yards.....	3 4 4 5 5 5 1 4 5 4 5 5 5 5 5—66	
900 yards.....	3 1 5 5 5 4 4 3 5 5 5 1 5 5 5—65	

Total.....	120
DR. S. J. SCOTT.	
800 yards.....	5 5 5 5 4 5 5 4 5 4 3 5 5 5 5—70
900 yards.....	4 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5—60

1,000 yards..... 4 3 4 5 5 3 2 0 5 5 5 4 0 5 5 5-61

Total..... 379

Mr. Adee and Dr. Scott tied for second prize, but Mr. Adee's score being the larger at the longest distance, under the rules, it was awarded to him.

Mr. Adee is comparatively a beginner at long range practice, having shot for the first time last season, but as he is very careful and painstaking and an ardent lover of rifle practice as a recreation from office life, he bids fair to become a skillful adversary at long range.

The New York Rifle Club having finally consented to shoot the series of home-and-home short-range matches with the Columbia Rifle Association with a team of four men on each side, it has been definitely settled that the first match will be shot on the Columbia's range at Tuxedo, and William

day, the 25th and 26th of this month. Distances will be 250 and 300 yards, ten shots for each man over each distance each day, the aggregate scores of the teams for the two days to constitute the first match. The second match will be shot at Creedmoor during the last month of the season, for com-

Colonel Burnside, President of the Columbia Rifle Association, has repeated the following letter:

from Captain Frank Lloyd, written on the eve of his sailing for Norway and Sweden, whither he has gone to introduce a most wonderful and effective magazine army gun.

"New York, April 30, 1880.

"MY DEAR COLONEL: I have mentioned to some

than I meant the attempt to convey to you, and through you to the members of the Columbia Life Association, in some degree the measure of my appreciation of the many courtesies received from you and them during my late visit to Washington. The days that I spent there will always remain

letter days to my recollections of the past. May you all have all the good luck you deserve, which is wishing you a good deal of it.

—Fraternally yours, FRANK HYDE.

Captain Hyde still strongly urges Colonel Burn-

him in England early in July next," and take part in the friendly match with an English team to be captained by Sir Henry Balfour. These teams are to each have four men, with two reserves. The American team for this contest as at first arranged.

Burnside, of Washington; Meers, Garrish and Brown, of Boston, and Meers, Clarke and Dudley, of New York. Colonel Burnside protested that it would be impossible for him to be absent from his official duties for a sufficient length of time for the purpose of attending the convention, and he was

living at Wimbledon; but Captain Hyde called without making any provision for filling the Colonel's place in the team. This match is to be entirely independent of the Irish-American match at Ballymount in June, for which a team of six, (three players, three substitutes), has been selected for six.

country. Sir Henry Hildford has yet his heart on having an American team shoot a team of Englishmen on the Wimbledon ranges, for, aided by the treacherous "fish-tail" winds of that range, he feels confident of a victory. And a victory, even in a friendly contest, is worth the effort.

would stimulate the English riflemen to form another team to contest for the international palm in 1884 at Creedmoor, the scene of their terrible defeat in 1877.

OFFICE CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER, U. S. A.,			
May 2, 1880.			
T. a. m.	52	9 p. m.	63
7.30 a. m.	55	11 p. m.	62
11 a. m.	68	Maximum	80

**Indications.**  
For the Middle States and New England, warmer southerly winds, generally shifting in the interior to colder northerly, with rising barometer and

partly cloudy weather.

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